

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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| Applicant(s): Paul E. McKenney | |
| Application No.: 10/661,017 (CONF 6787) | Group Art Unit: 2136 |
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| Title: Utilization hardware transactional approach to Execute code after initially using software Locking by employing pseudo-transactions | |
| Attorney Docket No.: BEA920030005US1 | |

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of July 5, 2007, please amend the application as follows, and consider the following remarks.